

Appl. No. 10/670,665  
Amendment

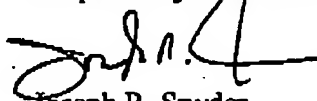
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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Upon entry of the present amendment, claims 41-46, 63, and 82-83 will be pending in this application and presented for examination. Claims 1-12, 66 and 77 have been canceled without prejudice or disclaimer. Claims 82-83 have been amended. No new matter has been introduced with the foregoing amendments.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 925-472-5000.

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